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In re Application of :
Raymon W. Lush :
Application No. 10/827,034 : DECISION ON PETITION
Filed: April 19, 2004 :
Title: Squirrel Repelling Hanger :
for a Bird Feeder or the Like :

This is a decision on the petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, filed August 30, 2006.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

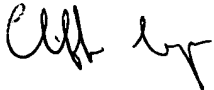
The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue fee in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed July 6, 2005. This Notice set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No issue fee having been received, the application became abandoned by matter of law on October 7, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 23, 2005.

Petitioner asserts that the Notice of Allowance was mailed to the incorrect address. A review of the record reveals that petitioner filed a Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address that was filed on April 26, 2005. It is obvious from reviewing the file that the Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address was not entered, and that the Notice of Allowance was erroneously mailed to the incorrect address.

In view thereof, **the holding of abandonment is withdrawn.**

The matter is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 3643 for re-mailing of the Notice of Allowance and Notice of Allowability, to the above address of record, setting a new period for reply.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3207.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Cliff Congo".

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